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*“ Sad? Why should I be sad?
It’s my birthday. The happiest day
of the year ”*



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INTRODUCTION

AS EYORE says, 'What are birthdays? Here to-day and gone to-morrow.' So let us make a note of them while we can. Of course it would be pleasanter if other people made a note of ours in their books, rather than called attention to their own in ours, but, even so, if we are careful to write to our Uncle Henry for the 20th of October, wishing him many happy returns, and mentioning casually the coincidence that our birthday is exactly seventeen days later than his, we may find ourselves in the pleasing position of having to write to him again before November is out.

But I imagine that the chief interest (if any) of this book will be in the comments which it makes on our friends' characters. Thus I see that the motto for Uncle Henry's day is—wait a moment—here we are: 'A

Pleasing Manner but a positively Startling Lack of Brain.' Yes, perhaps the water-pistol is not as safe as we thought ; we should have got him to write in our other Birthday Book, *A Garland of Flowers*. But in most cases I think you will find that the comment, though stern, is admirably suited to the victim—or would be, if he or she had been born a little earlier or later.

You notice that I say 'he or she'. If the English Language had been properly organized by a Business Man or Member of Parliament, instead of living from hand to mouth on almost anybody who happened to be about with a pencil, then there would be a word which meant both 'he' *and* 'she', and I could write, 'If John or Mary comes, heesh will want to play tennis,' which would save a lot of trouble. Also I could have made a much better thing of this Birthday Book. As it is, most of the quotations refer definitely to one sex, and more often to 'he' than to 'she'. But you must not let this worry you. If Aunt

Emily's birthday is on July 2nd—well, no, let us hope it isn't; but if it were on April 2nd—no, that's wrong. Well, what I mean is that the motto for May 11th, ' *He'll* know what to do,' can be read, if necessary, as ' *She'll* know what to do,' and so on and so forth, and vice versa and otherwise. I hope that's clear.

One other suggestion. If you buy this book at all, or if anybody gives it to you, it can only be because you are friendly with the four books from which I have taken the mottoes. If that is so, then you can amuse yourself (when you've got *absolutely* nothing to do) by trying to guess from which chapter or verse of a book each quotation comes. With some you will have no difficulty; others will baffle you for a long time, even if you start looking through the books carefully for them. But, of course, if the sun is shining and you can do anything else, I should strongly advise you to do it.

A. A. M.

The more it snows
 (Tiddely pom)
The more it goes
 (Tiddely pom)
The more it goes
 (Tiddely pom)
On snowing.

The House at Pooh Corner



JANUARY

1st JANUARY

Oh, that's who it is, is it?

The House at Pooh Corner



2nd JANUARY

It doesn't seem to matter,
If I don't get any fatter
(And I *don't* get any fatter)
What I do.

The House at Pooh Corner

3rd J A N U A R Y

Sad? Why should I be sad?

Winnie-the-Pooh

4th J A N U A R Y



He talks about sensible things.

The House at Pooh Corner

5th JANUARY

If you go on making faces like Piglet's, you'll grow up to look like Piglet.

Winnie-the-Pooh



6th JANUARY

Don't let me have to speak to you about it again.

Winnie-the-Pooh

7th JANUARY

Amusing in a quiet way, but not
really helpful.

The House at Pooh Corner



8th JANUARY

He doesn't use long, difficult words
like Owl.

The House at Pooh Corner

9th JANUARY

Perhaps it's some relation of Pooh's.

Winnie-the-Pooh



10th JANUARY

I don't much mind if it rains or
snows,

'Cos I've got a lot of honey on my
nice new nose.

Winnie-the-Pooh

11th JANUARY

I only came to oblige. But here
I am.

Winnie-the-Pooh



12th JANUARY

Sometimes no one spoke to him
For days and days and days.

Now We are Six

13th JANUARY

Some say he won't come back,
Some say he will.

Now We are Six



14th JANUARY

I'm not asking anybody. I'm just
telling everybody.

Winnie-the-Pooh

15th JANUARY

He's just the one person I'm
longing to meet.

When We Were Very Young



16th JANUARY

‘Enjoy yourself.’

‘I am,’ said Pooh.

‘Some can,’ said Eeyore.

Winnie-the-Pooh

17th JANUARY

Oh, I like his way of talking. Yes
I do.

It's the nicest way of talking just for
two.

The House at Pooh Corner



18th JANUARY

Some can and some can't.
That's how it is.

Winnie-the-Pooh

19th JANUARY

A little consideration, a little
thought for others, makes all
the difference.

Winnie-the-Pooh



20th JANUARY

Felt rather motherly that morning
and wanting to count things.

The House at Pooh Corner

21st JANUARY

A very Bouncy Animal with a way
of saying, 'How-do-you-do', which
always left your ears full of sand.

The House at Pooh Corner



22nd JANUARY

I *know* I'm not getting fatter.

The House at Pooh Corner

23rd JANUARY

It doesn't do them any good, you
know, sitting on them.

Winnie-the-Pooh



24th JANUARY

I shouldn't much care
If it froze or sned.
I shouldn't much mind
If it snowed or friz.

Now We are Six

25th JANUARY

Ready for anything.

Winnie-the-Pooh



26th JANUARY

One said 'Yes'm', and the other
said 'Shan't!'

Now We are Six

27th JANUARY

I did know once but I've sort of forgotten.

Winnie-the-Pooh



28th JANUARY

‘Sillies, I went and saw the Queen.
She says my hands are *purfickly* clean.’

When We Were Very Young

29th JANUARY

This was the first time he'd ever
washed his face himself.

Winnie-the-Pooh



30th JANUARY

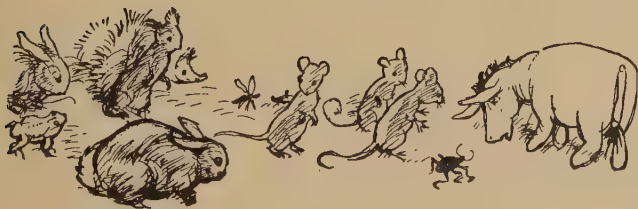
He gets what exercise he can
By falling off the ottoman.

When We Were Very Young

31st JANUARY

They've no imagination.

Winnie-the-Pooh



*It rained so hard that he stayed
indoors most of the time, and thought
about things.*

Winnie-the-Pooh



F E B R U A R Y

1st FEBRUARY

The world was made for me.

When We Were Very Young



2nd FEBRUARY

Dreaming of the life they had seen
and the big things they had done.

Winnie-the-Pooh

Hilary Green

3rd FEBRUARY

If people ask me I always tell them,
'Quite well, thank you, I'm very
glad to say.'

When We Were Very Young



4th FEBRUARY

It's so much more friendly with
two.

Winnie-the-Pooh

5th FEBRUARY

Nobody,
My darling,
Could call me
A fussy man.

When We Were Very Young



6th FEBRUARY

‘What *will* he be doing next?’

Winnie-the-Pooh

Anne Mc Neil

7th FEBRUARY

Every one says, ' Run along, there's
a little darling ! '

Now We are Six



8th FEBRUARY

In a Very Sad Condition.

Winnie-the-Pooh

9th FEBRUARY

I think that he sounds so exciting.

When We Were Very Young



10th FEBRUARY

On Tuesday when it hails and snows,
The feeling on me grows and grows
That hardly anybody knows
If those are these or these are those.

Winnie-the-Pooh

11th FEBRUARY

He had a sort of look as if he
thought it must be ME.

Now We are Six



12th FEBRUARY

‘ No proper notice taken of me at all.’

Winnie-the-Pooh

13th FEBRUARY

One of them was Bad and the other
was Good.

Now We are Six



14th FEBRUARY

The Social Round. Always some-
thing going on.

Winnie-the-Pooh

Mr Bakers

15th FEBRUARY

‘She’s perfectly well, and she hasn’t
a pain.

But, look at her, now she’s beginning
again.’

When We Were Very Young



16th FEBRUARY

‘It’s bad enough being miserable
myself, what with no presents and no
cake and no candles.’

Winnie-the-Pooh

17th FEBRUARY

The Doctor said 'Tut ! It's another
attack.'

And ordered him Milk and Massage-
of-the-back.

When We Were Very Young



18th FEBRUARY

On Thursday, when it starts to freeze,
And hoar frost twinkles on the trees,
How very readily one sees
That these are whose—but whose are
these.

Winnie-the-Pooh

19th FEBRUARY

'Can they climb trees better than Pooh?' asked Roo.

'Climbing trees is what they do best,' said Tigger.

The House at Pooh Corner

Adrienne Lazarus



20th FEBRUARY

'You don't always want to be miserable on my birthday, do you?'

Winnie-the-Pooh

Angela Martineau

21st FEBRUARY

If you give him a smile
Only once in a while,
Then he never expects any money.

When We Were Very Young



22nd FEBRUARY

H.B. for Helping Bear.

Winnie-the-Pooh

23rd FEBRUARY

Why should I want to be bad at the Zoo?

Now We are Six



24th FEBRUARY

‘I’m not at all sure that it wouldn’t be a good idea to have a *cold* bath this evening.’

Winnie-the-Pooh



25th FEBRUARY

All sorts of funny thoughts
Run round my head.

When We Were Very Young



26th FEBRUARY

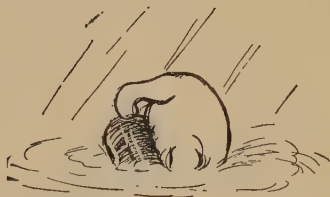
This writing business. Pencils and
what-not. Silly stuff. Nothing in it.

Winnie-the-Pooh

27th FEBRUARY

I wonder what's going to happen
exciting *to-day*.

Winnie-the-Pooh



28th FEBRUARY

Over-rated, if you ask me.

Winnie-the-Pooh

29th FEBRUARY

Is this a Hearty Joke, or is it the
Merest Accident?

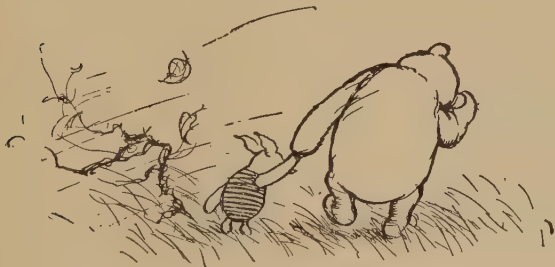
The House at Pooh Corner





Fo lo ! the wind was blustering.

The House at Pooh Corner



MARCH

1 s t M A R C H

He lived his life aloof.

Now We are Six



2 n d M A R C H

Careful not to wet his feet.

Now We are Six

3rd MARCH

He is quite a different person now
he hasn't got his spurs on.

When We Were Very Young



4th MARCH

I *am* so fond of him.

When We Were Very Young

5th MARCH

I've opened a window but never a
door.

Now We are Six



6th MARCH

And nobody knows (Tiddely pom),
How cold my toes (Tiddely pom),
How cold my toes (Tiddely pom),
Are growing.

The House at Pooh Corner

7th MARCH

I look about for things,
Like Rushings-Out, and Rescuings.

Now We are Six



8th MARCH

Trying over his voice carefully,
and listening to see if he liked it.

Winnie-the-Pooh

Jenny Wood

9th MARCH

... had so many things which he
wanted to do

That whenever he thought it was time
to begin

He couldn't because of the state he
was in.

Now We are Six



10th MARCH

I don't much care if it snows or thaws,
'Cos I've got a lot of honey on my
nice clean paws.

Winnie-the-Pooh

11th MARCH

A soldier's life is terrible hard.

When We Were Very Young



12th MARCH

What you have just said will be a
Great Help to us.

The House at Pooh Corner

Aunt Bobby-

13th MARCH

He's a clever sort of man.

Now We are Six



14th MARCH

All that he learnt he learnt from her.

Now We are Six

Miss Lang

15th MARCH

A peaceful smile came over his
face.

The House at Pooh Corner



16th MARCH

A tail isn't a tail to them ; it's just
a little Bit Extra at the back.

Winnie-the-Pooh

17th MARCH

We do have beautiful things to do.

When We Were Very Young



18th MARCH

I have a house where I go
When there's too many people.

Now We are Six

Ginny Coe

19th MARCH

He flew past a day or two ago and
noticed me.

The House at Pooh Corner



20th MARCH

If only I were King of Greece
I'd push things off the mantel-piece.

When We Were Very Young

Miss Baskers

21st MARCH

He's much too busy a-signing things.

When We Were Very Young

Mrs Collins



22nd MARCH

It's awful fun to be born at all.

When We Were Very Young

23rd MARCH

He never understands anything.

The House at Pooh Corner



24th MARCH

She would do a Good Thing to Do
without thinking about it.

Winnie-the-Pooh

25th MARCH

. . . whose life was made up of
Important Things.

The House at Pooh Corner



26th MARCH

Will be, as sure as eggs are eggs,
A Chancellor some day.

Now We are Six

27th MARCH

Handsome if a trifle fat.

When We Were Very Young



28th MARCH

Completely Unsettled.

The House at Pooh Corner



29th MARCH

There are twelve pots of honey in
my cupboard, and they've been
calling to me for hours.

The House at Pooh Corner



30th MARCH

That's what *I* think. But I don't
suppose I'm right.

The House at Pooh Corner

31st MARCH

The look in his eye
Seemed to say to the sky,
' Now, how to amuse them to-day ? '

Now We are Six



*All the things they have seen,
All the things they have heard :
An April sky swept clean and the
song of a bird. . . .*

Now We are Six



A P R I L

1st APRIL

‘Your birthday?’ said Pooh, in
great surprise.

‘Of course it is. Can’t you see?’

Winnie-the-Pooh



2nd APRIL

If John were Me, and I were John,
I shouldn't have these trousers on.

Now We are Six

3rd APRIL

The only reason for making honey
is so as I can eat it.

The House at Pooh Corner



4th APRIL

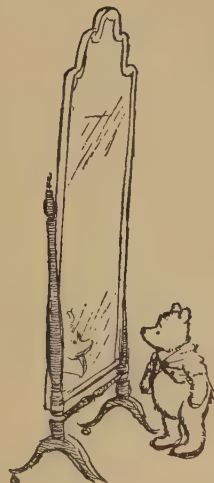
He thought, ' If only I were thin !
But how does anyone begin ? '

When We Were Very Young

5th APRIL

Nicknamed 'The Handsome.'

When We Were Very Young



6th APRIL

Your thews are strong and
your arm is stout.

Now We are Six

Sally Baker

7th APRIL

I think it was dreadful the way he
behaved.

Now We are Six



8th APRIL

The only thing he could think of
was Help! Help!

The House at Pooh Corner

9th APRIL

It was the other fellow's fault.

Winnie-the-Pooh



10th APRIL

She got up early, she dressed, and ran
Trying to find an Important Man.

Now We are Six

11th APRIL

And so in the end he did nothing
at all.

Now We are Six



12th APRIL

I should hate him to go *on* being sad.

The House at Pooh Corner

Gillian Green.

13th APRIL

If only I were King of France
I wouldn't brush my hair for aunts.

When We Were Very Young



14th APRIL

You're always seeing, and nothing
ever happens.

The House at Pooh Corner

15th APRIL

. . . felt very shy
When a stranger came by.

Now We are Six



16th APRIL

Where am I going? I don't quite
know.

What does it matter where people go?

When We Were Very Young

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17th APRIL

They haven't got Brains, any of them, only grey fluff that's flown into their heads by mistake, and they don't think.

The House at Pooh Corner



18th APRIL

I'm not at the bottom,
I'm not at the top.

When We Were Very Young

19th APRIL

Taking people by surprise. Very unpleasant habit.

The House at Pooh Corner



20th APRIL

The point is, what does Christopher Robin think about it?

The House at Pooh Corner

Penelope Collins

21st APRIL

Oh, don't *talk*.

Winnie-the-Pooh



22nd APRIL

Oh, gallant Piglet (PIGLET)! Ho!

The House at Pooh Corner

23rd APRIL

He might do something silly, and I
do love him so.

Winnie-the-Pooh



GHS

24th APRIL

I never did, I never did, I never
did like 'Now take care, dear.'

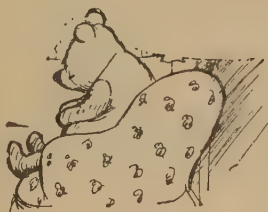
When We Were Very Young

25th APRIL

He stayed indoors most of the time
and thought about things.

Winnie-the-Pooh

Tame Warneford.



26th APRIL

From time to time he opened his
eyes to say 'Ah,' and then closed
them again to say 'True.'

The House at Pooh Corner

27th APRIL

Kind and Thoughtful.

Winnie-the-Pooh



28th APRIL

A Sad Tigger, a Melancholy Tigger,
a Small and Sorry Tigger.

The House at Pooh Corner

29th APRIL

Look at all the presents I've had.

Winnie-the-Pooh



30th APRIL

However much you liked him, you
couldn't deny it, he did bounce.

The House at Pooh Corner



*In careless patches through the wood
The clumps of yellow primrose stood.*

When We Were Very Young

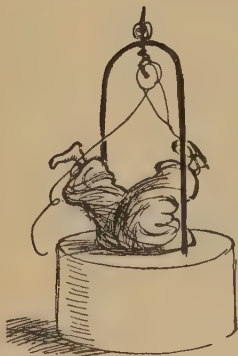


M A Y

1st MAY

His birthday (in May)
Was a horrible day.
Being wet as November
And windy as March.

Now We are Six



2nd MAY

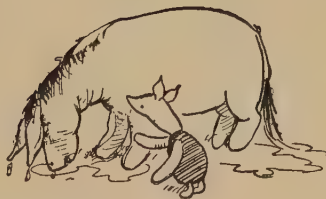
Had never been really
fond of baths.

Winnie-the-Pooh

3rd M A Y

I don't want to mention it, but I
just mention it.

Winnie-the-Pooh



4th M A Y

He is very Gloomy.

Winnie-the-Pooh

5th M A Y

He does silly things and they turn
out right.

Lucinda Rodd

Winnie-the-Pooh



6th M A Y

I wouldn't be King for a hundred
pounds.

When We Were Very Young

7th M A Y

A Bear of Enormous Brain,
(Just say it again),
Of Enormous Brain.

Sheila Roy

Winnie-the-Pooh



8th M A Y

You just stay here in this one corner
of the Forest waiting for the others to
come to you. Why don't you go to
them sometimes?

The House at Pooh Corner

9th MAY

I've got a nice new pair of braces.

When We Were Very Young



10th MAY

They don't think—that's what's
the matter with some of these others.

Winnie-the-Pooh

11th MAY

He'll know what to do.

The House at Pooh Corner



12th MAY

It's a little Anxious to be a Very
Small Animal Entirely Surrounded
by Water.

Winnie-the-Pooh

13th MAY

She said that she was sorry.

Now We are Six



14th MAY

Poetry and Hums aren't things
which you get, they're things which
get you.

The House at Pooh Corner

15th M A Y

One of those Clever Readers who
can read things.

Winnie-the-Pooh



16th M A Y

He ate a lot.

Winnie-the-Pooh

17th MAY

As long as nobody minds, I suppose
it's all right.

Winnie-the-Pooh



18th MAY

One of the Fiercer Animals.

Winnie-the-Pooh

19th MAY

So now let's give him three hearty cheers
(*So now let's give him three hearty
whiches?*),

And hope he'll be with us for years and
years,

And grow in health and wisdom and
riches.

Winnie-the-Pooh



20th MAY

You don't want to grow up small
and weak like Piglet, do you?

The House at Pooh Corner

Mrs. McNeil

Granny Nid-

21st MAY

The little fellow with the excited ears.

Winnie-the-Pooh



22nd MAY

I don't want to complain, but there it is.

Winnie-the-Pooh

23rd M A Y

Don't blame *me* if it rains.

Winnie-the-Pooh



24th M A Y

He talked about something quite different in a hurried sort of way.

The House at Pooh Corner

25th MAY

He multiplied as far as four,
And knew what nine was taken from
To make eleven.

Now We are Six



26th MAY

‘Half an hour . . . That will just
give me time to finish that story I was
telling you about my Uncle Robert.’

The House at Pooh Corner

Uncle Richard

27th MAY

She isn't Clever.

Winnie-the-Pooh

Joey's



28th MAY

. . . felt that it was hardly fair
To risk, by frequent injuries,
A brain as delicate as his.

Now We are Six

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29th MAY

‘Tigger is all right, really,’ said Piglet lazily.

‘Everybody is *really*,’ said Pooh.

The House at Pooh Corner



30th MAY

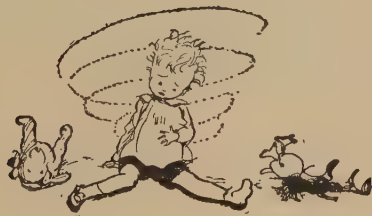
‘It’s dangerous, but I can do it all right.’

The House at Pooh Corner

31st MAY

Nothing to do except wonder.

Winnie-the-Pooh



*Oh, the honey-bees are gumming
On their little wings, and humming
That the summer, which is coming,
Will be fun.*

The House at Pooh Corner

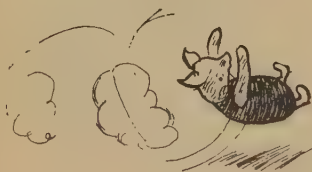


JUNE

1st JUNE

‘They don’t hurt themselves,’ said Pooh, ‘because they’re such very good droppers.’

The House at Pooh Corner



2nd JUNE

He hasn’t Learnt in Books.

Winnie-the-Pooh

3rd JUNE

I often wish I were a King,
And then I could do anything.

Now We are Six

morella-



4th JUNE

Getting quite fussy.

Winnie-the-Pooh

5th JUNE

I must move about more. I must
come and go.

The House at Pooh Corner



6th JUNE

I'm not going to do nothing any more.

The House at Pooh Corner

7th JUNE

Astute and Helpful Bear.

The House at Pooh Corner

Commander Collins



8th JUNE

Just tell me, somebody, 'What did
he do?'

Winnie-the-Pooh

Miss Wickson.

9th JUNE

But do you think it worries him
To know that he is far from slim?

When We Were Very Young



10th JUNE

Ask me a riddle and I reply :
'Cottleston, Cottleston, Cottleston Pie.'

Winnie-the-Pooh

11th JUNE

As soon as he woke up he felt important, as if everything depended upon him.

The House at Pooh Corner



12th JUNE

Lost in a dream,
Lost among the buttercups.

Now We are Six

13th JUNE

Nobody keeps me Informed.

The House at Pooh Corner



14th JUNE

Looked modestly down his nose
and tried to pretend he wasn't.

Winnie-the-Pooh

15th JUNE

Whatever Fortune brings,
Don't be afraid of doing things.

Now We are Six

Harriet Mc N.



16th JUNE

‘ But is it really your birthday ? ’
he asked.

‘ It is.’

‘ Oh ! Well, many happy returns of
the day.’

Lucy White

Winnie-the-Pooh

17th JUNE

He had his little ways.

Now We are Six



18th JUNE

When he thought of all the honey
the bees wouldn't be making, a cold
and misty day always made him feel
sorry.

The House at Pooh Corner

19th JUNE

My face was flat.

The House at Pooh Corner



20th JUNE

. . . hasn't much Brain, but never
comes to any harm.

Winnie-the-Pooh

21st JUNE

He wondered if being a Faithful
Knight meant that you went on being
Faithful without being told things.

The House at Pooh Corner



22nd JUNE

On Monday when the sun is hot
I wonder to myself a lot :
' Now, is it true, or is it not,
That what is which and which is what ? '

Winnie-the-Pooh

Sarah Waters :

23rd JUNE

I've got a sort of an idea, but I
don't suppose it's a very good one.

The House at Pooh Corner



24th JUNE

He would know the Right Thing
to do.

Winnie-the-Pooh

25th JUNE

I lay on my tum and I tried to hum,
But nothing particular seemed to
come.

The House at Pooh Corner



26th JUNE

I can shut one eye,
I can count to ten.

Now We are Six

27th JUNE

I didn't want to come swimming
at all to-day.

The House at Pooh Corner



28th JUNE

Whenever I walk in a London street,
I'm ever so careful to watch my feet.

When We Were Very Young

29th JUNE

No blame can be attached to him.

The House at Pooh Corner



30th JUNE

‘Me having a real Birthday!’

Winnie-the-Pooh



*It felt very quiet and peaceful on
this summer afternoon.*

The House at Pooh Corner



JULY

1st JULY

When you are a Bear of Very Little Brain, and you Think of Things, you find sometimes that a Thing which seemed very Thingish inside you is quite different when it gets out into the open and has other people looking at it.

The House at Pooh Corner



2nd JULY

He just happened to hiccup
While signing his name.

Now We are Six

3rd JULY

It was just the day for Organizing something.

The House at Pooh Corner



4th JULY

He had thought of it without being told by anybody.

Winnie-the-Pooh

5th JULY

I make it seventeen days come
Friday since anybody spoke to me.

The House at Pooh Corner



6th JULY

Well, it's too late now, I can't go
back.

Winnie-the-Pooh

7th JULY

All sunny and careless, and just as
if twice nineteen didn't matter a bit.

The House at Pooh Corner



8th JULY

He didn't look where he was going.

Winnie-the-Pooh

9th JULY

I'll play a lot to-morrow.

Now We are Six



10th JULY

I want a soldier to come and
play with me.

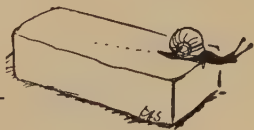
When We Were Very Young

11th JULY

Thank you for happening to
pass me.

The House at Pooh Corner

Anna Mary Webb



12th JULY

HIPY PAPY BTHUTHDTH
THUTHDA BTHUTHDY.

Nicola Thompson

Winnie-the-Pooh

13th JULY

My spelling is Wobbly. It's
good spelling, but it Wobbles and the
letters get in the wrong places.

Winnie-the-Pooh



14th JULY

He did a hundred happy things,
And then went to bed.

Now We are Six

15th JULY

I'm giving him a Useful Pot to
Keep Things In.

Winnie-the-Pooh



16th JULY

He was never much good at riddles,
being a Bear of Very Little Brain.

Winnie-the-Pooh

17th JULY

She said she didn't mean it.

Now We are Six



18th JULY

A sort of funny feeling began to creep all over him. It began at the tip of his nose and trickled all through him, and out at the soles of his feet.

Winnie-the-Pooh

19th JULY

They've all of them been
And kissed me lots.

Now We are Six



20th JULY

It may be a poor man,
Travel-worn and weary.

Now We are Six

21st JULY

Nobody can be uncheered with a
balloon.

Winnie-the-Pooh



22nd JULY

There happened to be passing by
A plump man with a twinkling eye.

When We Were Very Young

23rd JULY

He hasn't time to play.

Now We are Six



24th JULY

I'm not complaining, but There
It Is.

Winnie-the-Pooh

25th JULY

... isn't greedy, but he does like things to eat.

Now We are Six



26th JULY

I am a Bear of No Brain at All.

Winnie-the-Pooh

27th JULY

I never saw a more spreading lot of animals in my life, and all in the wrong places.

The House at Pooh Corner



28th JULY

French word meaning Bonhommy.

Winnie-the-Pooh

29th JULY

He has worked all his life.

When We Were Very Young



30th JULY

Most faithful of all my Knights.

The House at Pooh Corner

Gill L

31st JULY

You can't help respecting anybody
who can spell TUESDAY, even if he
doesn't spell it right.

The House at Pooh Corner

Uncle John



Look at me swimming !

Winnie-the-Pooh



AUGUST

1st AUGUST

We can't all and some of us don't.
That's all there is to it.

Winnie-the-Pooh



2nd AUGUST

How wonderful it would be to have
a real brain which could tell you
things.

The House at Pooh Corner

3rd A U G U S T

If anybody wants to clap, now is
the time to do it.

The House at Pooh Corner



4th A U G U S T

‘Red,’ he murmured to himself.
‘My favourite colour.’

Winnie-the-Pooh

5th A U G U S T

Gaiety. Song-and-dance. Here
we go round the mulberry bush.

Winnie-the-Pooh



6th A U G U S T

Have you been a *good* girl?

Now We are Six

7th A U G U S T

‘About as big as Piglet.’

‘My favourite size.’

Winnie-the-Pooh



8th A U G U S T

There's really nobody but Me
when you come to look at it.

The House at Pooh Corner

9th AUGUST

Nobody seemed to know where they
came from, but there they were.

Winnie-the-Pooh



10th AUGUST

I was forgetting *him*.

Winnie-the-Pooh

11th AUGUST

No better from *this* side. But nobody minds, nobody cares.

Winnie-the-Pooh



12th AUGUST

Fashions in beauty have a way
Of altering from day to day.

When We Were Very Young

13th AUGUST

‘Suppose I carried *my* family about with me in *my* pocket, how many pockets should I want?’

‘Sixteen,’ said Piglet.

Winnie-the-Pooh



14th AUGUST

He could read quite comfortably when you weren't looking over his shoulder and saying, ‘Well?’ all the time.

The House at Pooh Corner

15th A U G U S T

I'm not frightened of Fierce Animals
in the ordinary way.

Winnie-the-Pooh



16th A U G U S T

I'm as clever as clever.

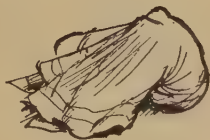
Now We are Six

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17th AUGUST

‘What are you giving him, Owl?’

‘What are *you* giving him, Pooh?’

Winnie-the-Pooh



18th AUGUST

All of them say ‘Yes, dear,’ and
never notice me.

Now We are Six

19th AUGUST

No other Knight in all the land
Could do the things which he
could do.

Now We are Six

Tubby Ward



20th AUGUST

Many happy returns of Eeyore's
birthday.

Winnie-the-Pooh

21st AUGUST

A very happy birthday, with love
from Pooh.

Winnie-the-Pooh



22nd AUGUST

I must be going. I'm rather
busy this morning.

The House at Pooh Corner

23rd AUGUST

He never quite understands.

When We Were Very Young



24th AUGUST

What I like doing best is Nothing.

The House at Pooh Corner

25th AUGUST

I'm feeling rather funny, and I
don't know *what* I am.

Now We are Six



26th AUGUST

Generally Regarded as One of the
Fiercer Animals.

Winnie-the-Pooh

27th AUGUST

I have my friends. Somebody spoke to me only yesterday.

Winnie-the-Pooh



28th AUGUST

He could spell Tuesday so that you knew it wasn't Wednesday.

The House at Pooh Corner

29th AUGUST

All that he did, he did with her.

Now We are Six



30th AUGUST

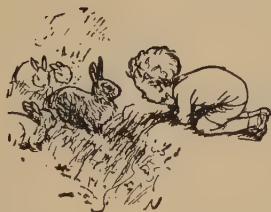
Christopher Robin depends on Me.

The House at Pooh Corner

31st AUGUST

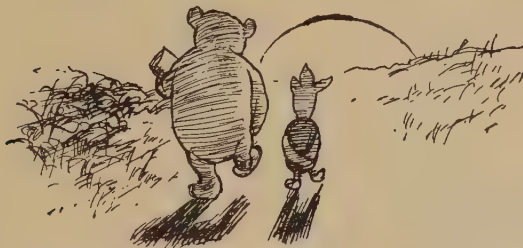
I have a house where I go,
Where nobody ever says 'No.'

Now We are Six



*Thoughtfully together in the golden
evening.*

Winnie-the-Pooh



SEPTEMBER

1st SEPTEMBER

You and I have brains; the
others have fluff.

The House at Pooh Corner



2nd SEPTEMBER

I have been Foolish and Deluded.

Winnie-the-Pooh

Paula Foster.

Josephine Gane

3rd S E P T E M B E R

We hold each other's hands and talk
Of all the things we mean to do.

Now We are Six



4th S E P T E M B E R

I've just remembered something
which I forgot to do yesterday, and
shan't be able to do to-morrow.

Winnie-the-Pooh

5th SEPTEMBER

A captainish sort of day.

The House at Pooh Corner



6th SEPTEMBER

Hot and anxious.

Winnie-the-Pooh

Willis Stuart

7th SEPTEMBER

They'd given him no present now
For years and years and years.

Now We are Six



8th SEPTEMBER

Drop in on any of us at any time
when you feel like it.

The House at Pooh Corner

9th SEPTEMBER

Always liked a little something at
eleven o'clock in the morning.

Winnie-the-Pooh



10th SEPTEMBER

On Wednesday when the sky is blue,
And there is nothing else to do,
I sometimes wonder if it's true
That who is what and what is who.

Winnie-the-Pooh

11th SEPTEMBER

If there is any thinking to be done
in this Forest—and when I say think-
ing, I mean *thinking*—you and I
must do it.

The House at Pooh Corner



12th SEPTEMBER

Is he going fast enough?

Now We are Six

13th SEPTEMBER

Really too young to go to a party
at all.

Winnie-the-Pooh



14th SEPTEMBER

It's hard to be brave when you're
only a Very Small Animal.

Winnie-the-Pooh

15th SEPTEMBER

He was called small for short when he was spoken to at all, which hardly ever happened except when some one said, 'Really, Small!'

The House at Pooh Corner



16th SEPTEMBER

'Bother,' said Pooh. 'What shall I do? I *must* give him something.'

Winnie-the-Pooh

17th SEPTEMBER

He says he likes me calling him
names.

When We Were Very Young



18th SEPTEMBER

Felt himself awkward and shy.

Now We are Six

Clare Dixon Carter

19th SEPTEMBER

Might be useful.

Winnie-the-Pooh

Aunt Sheila -



20th SEPTEMBER

It is because you are a very small animal that you will be useful.

Winnie-the-Pooh

Annabelle Nicholls.

21st SEPTEMBER

I'm BRAVE.

Now We are Six



22nd SEPTEMBER

‘Pathetic,’ he said, ‘that’s what it is, pathetic!’

Winnie-the-Pooh

23rd SEPTEMBER

How brave and clever you are.

The House at Pooh Corner



24th SEPTEMBER

He was so ashamed of himself that he ran straight off home and went to bed with a headache.

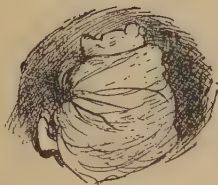
Winnie-the-Pooh

25th SEPTEMBER

‘How I do love you!’

‘So do I,’ said Pooh.

Winnie-the-Pooh



26th SEPTEMBER

A huge big—well like a—I don’t
know—like an enormous big nothing.

Winnie-the-Pooh

27th SEPTEMBER

He was the sort of Tigger who was always in front when you were showing him the way anywhere, and was generally out of sight when at last you came to the place and said proudly, 'Here we are.'

The House at Pooh Corner



28th SEPTEMBER

I've often walked, but I never, never ran.

Now We are Six

29th SEPTEMBER

Go away. I'm thinking.

The House at Pooh Corner



30th SEPTEMBER

He really had more brain than Pooh.

The House at Pooh Corner



*In the half-light the Pine Trees
looked cold and lonely.*

Winnie-the-Pooh



OCTOBER

1st OCTOBER

My voice has gone all squeaky
and works before I'm ready for it.

The House at Pooh Corner



2nd OCTOBER

You must never go down to the
end of the town, if you don't go
down with me.

When We Were Very Young

3rd O C T O B E R

It's always useful to know where
a Friend-and-Relation is, whether
you want him or whether you don't.

The House at Pooh Corner



4th O C T O B E R

I don't hold with all this washing.
This Modern Behind the Ears
business.

Winnie-the-Pooh

5th OCTOBER

Do you think you have more
education than Christopher Robin ?

The House at Pooh Corner



6th OCTOBER

None of the people he could see
' Is quite ' (he said) ' as fat as me.'

When We Were Very Young

7th OCTOBER

Oh, it's you ?

The House at Pooh Corner



8th OCTOBER

Do you think the King
Knows all about Me ?

When We Were Very Young

9th OCTOBER

... never let things come to him,
but always went and fetched them.

The House at Pooh Corner



10th OCTOBER

‘What sort of stories does he
like?’

‘About himself, because he’s that
sort of Bear.’

Winnie-the-Pooh

11th OCTOBER

It isn't Brain, because You
Know Why.

Clare Freeman

The House at Pooh Corner



12th OCTOBER

I feel we should all do what
we can to help.

Winnie-the-Pooh

13th OCTOBER

He tried to say something, but even after he had husked once or twice nothing came out.

The House at Pooh Corner



14th OCTOBER

Sometimes he likes to sit quietly in front of the fire and listen to a story.

Winnie-the-Pooh

15th OCTOBER

Promise you won't forget about me ever. Not even when I am a hundred.

The House at Pooh Corner



16th OCTOBER

It just happened to be Me.

Winnie-the-Pooh

17th OCTOBER

An Animal who never had a bunch
of violets picked for him.

The House at Pooh Corner



18th OCTOBER

‘What did you do?’

‘Nothing.’

‘The best thing,’ said Owl wisely.

The House at Pooh Corner

19th OCTOBER

It's my birthday. The happiest
day of the year.

Winnie-the-Pooh



20th OCTOBER

A Pleasing Manner, but a Positively
Startling Lack of Brain.

The House at Pooh Corner

21st OCTOBER

Owl looked at him and wondered
whether to push him off the tree.

The House at Pooh Corner



22nd OCTOBER

He felt so Foolish and Uncomfortable that he almost decided to run away to sea and be a sailor.

The House at Pooh Corner

23rd OCTOBER

I called him Alexander and he
answered just the same.

Now We are Six

David -



24th OCTOBER

‘You’re a real friend,’ said he.
‘Not like some,’ he said.

Winnie-the-Pooh

25th OCTOBER

There are lots and lots of people
who are always asking things.

Now We are Six

Judith Edwards.



26th OCTOBER

He lifted up his head and made a
loud roaring noise of Sadness and
Despair.

Winnie-the-Pooh

Valerie King.



27th OCTOBER

I do like a little bit of butter to my
bread.

When We Were Very Young



28th OCTOBER

Anxiety bedewed his brow.

Now We are Six



29th OCTOBER

I don't seem to have felt at all how
for a long time.

Winnie-the-Pooh



30th OCTOBER

He stayed in every afternoon,
But no one came to tea.

Now We are Six

31 st OCTOBER

Don't Bustle me. Don't ' Now
then ' me.

The House at Pooh Corner



Let it rain.

Who cares.

I've a train upstairs.

When We Were Very Young



NOVEMBER

1st NOVEMBER

He said the wrong thing.

The House at Pooh Corner



2nd NOVEMBER

I think to myself,
I play to myself.
And nobody knows what I say to
myself.

Now We are Six

Daddy—



3rd N O V E M B E R

I'm another sort of funny sort of
thing.

Now We are Six



4th N O V E M B E R

I thought I did flinch a little.
Just at first.

The House at Pooh Corner



5th NOVEMBER

Fussy of me, but we all have our
little ways.

The House at Pooh Corner



6th NOVEMBER

He asks about this, and explains
about that.

When We Were Very Young

Major McNail

7th N O V E M B E R

Sometimes he didn't quite know
what he was thinking about.

Winnie-the-Pooh



8th N O V E M B E R

He learns. He becomes educated.
He instigates Knowledge.

The House at Pooh Corner

Grampop-

Simone Erard.

9th NOVEMBER

Too busy to say anything.

Winnie-the-Pooh



10th NOVEMBER

I suppose all these people know
better than I.

When We Were Very Young

11th NOVEMBER

He was feeling particularly cheerful this morning.

The House at Pooh Corner



12th NOVEMBER

I never did, I never did, I never did want 'Hold-my-hand.'

When We Were Very Young

13th NOVEMBER

I'll think a lot to-morrow.

Now We are Six



14th NOVEMBER

It's his birthday, and nobody has
taken any notice of it.

Winnie-the-Pooh

15th NOVEMBER

‘He’s just come,’ explained Piglet.
‘When is he going?’

The House at Pooh Corner



Mummy



16th NOVEMBER

What I did was nothing.

Winnie-the-Pooh

17th NOVEMBER

He never, never cries . . .
Except (like other people) when the
soap gets in his eyes.

Now We are Six



18th NOVEMBER

Quiet and Refined.

The House at Pooh Corner

19th NOVEMBER

He had done all that he could to
save himself.

Winnie-the-Pooh



20th NOVEMBER

A Very Small Animal who didn't
like bouncing.

The House at Pooh Corner

21st NOVEMBER

Let it rain!
Who cares?

Now We are Six



22nd NOVEMBER

I have done the best I can.

Now We are Six

23rd NOVEMBER

Hullo, my little fellow.

Winnie-the-Pooh



24th NOVEMBER

I am the King of the fields and the
King
Of the town.

Now We are Six

25th NOVEMBER

'I don't know if you're Interested
in Poetry at all?'

'Hardly at all.'

Winnie-the-Pooh



— 26th NOVEMBER

Apple-cheeked, dimpled.

Now We are Six

27th NOVEMBER

Only fierce during the winter months.

Winnie-the-Pooh



28th NOVEMBER

He couldn't think of anything.

Winnie-the-Pooh

29th NOVEMBER

LAST SEEN
WANDERING VAGUELY

When We Were Very Young

Sally 4.



30th NOVEMBER

I've found somebody just like me.
I thought I was the only one of them.

The House at Pooh Corner



*With a big brown furry-down up to
my head,
I'd sleep all the winter in a big fur bed.*

Now We are Six



DECEMBER

1 s t D E C E M B E R

I hold her very tight, and
Tell her not to be so frightened—
And she doesn't be so frightened
any more.

When We Were Very Young



2 n d D E C E M B E R

Sometimes he thought sadly to himself, ' Why ', and sometimes he thought ' Wherefore ', and sometimes he thought ' Inasmuch as which '.

Winnie-the-Pooh



3rd D E C E M B E R

I can think whatever I like to think.
I can play whatever I like to play.
I can laugh whatever I like to laugh.

Now We are Six

Miss Steadman,



4th D E C E M B E R

‘ Does Christopher Robin know
about you ? ’

‘ Of course he does.’

The House at Pooh Corner

Uma Puck.

5th D E C E M B E R

As I feared,
Nothing again for me.

Now We are Six



6th D E C E M B E R

Brains first and then Hard Work.

The House at Pooh Corner

7th D E C E M B E R

Impossible without me ! *That*
sort of Bear !

Miss Tilley.

Winnie-the-Pooh



8th D E C E M B E R

Of an Affectionate Disposition.

Winnie-the-Pooh

9th DECEMBER

‘You are the Best Bear in all the World,’ said Christopher Robin, soothingly.

Winnie-the-Pooh



10th DECEMBER

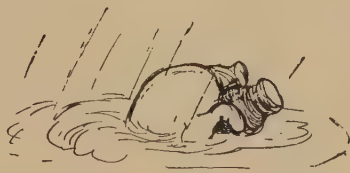
I know they'll think me silly.

Now We are Six

11th DECEMBER

What has she got in that little brown
head,
Wonderful thoughts which can never
be said.

Now We are Six



12th DECEMBER

He had had that sinking feeling
before, and he knew what it meant.

Winnie-the-Pooh

13th D E C E M B E R

As soon as he woke he said to himself, 'Oh!' Then he said bravely, 'Yes.' And then still, more bravely, 'Quite so.'

Susan McNeil

Winnie-the-Pooh



14th D E C E M B E R

Some do and some don't. You never can tell with Heffalumps.

Winnie-the-Pooh

15th D E C E M B E R

She would run round the world
till she found a man.

Now. We are Six

Jane Ross-Lowe



16th D E C E M B E R

No brain at all, some of them.

The House at Pooh Corner

17th D E C E M B E R

. . . somehow went all to pieces over
delicate words like MEASLES and
BUTTERED TOAST.

Winnie-the-Pooh



18th D E C E M B E R

He didn't feel very brave.

Winnie-the-Pooh

19th D E C E M B E R

I generally have a small something
about now—about this time in the
morning.

Winnie-the-Pooh



20th D E C E M B E R

I'll laugh a lot to-morrow.

Now We are Six

21st DECEMBER

Long words Bother me.

Winnie-the-Pooh



22nd DECEMBER

His house was a Disgrace. All damp
and dirty.

The House at Pooh Corner

23rd D E C E M B E R

He can always Think of a Clever Plan.

Winnie-the-Pooh



24th D E C E M B E R

You only flinched inside, and that's
the bravest way for a Very Small
Animal not to flinch that there is.

The House at Pooh Corner

25th D E C E M B E R

Oh, Father Christmas, if you love me
at all,
Bring me a big, red indiarubber ball.

Now We are Six



26th D E C E M B E R

Here he would be in bed all the
morning, simply wasting his time for
nothing.

Winnie-the-Pooh

27th D E C E M B E R

I hope he'll be very happy.

The House at Pooh Corner



28th D E C E M B E R

There's too much of him.

The House at Pooh Corner

29th DECEMBER

All right then, I'll give him a
balloon.

Winnie-the-Pooh



30th DECEMBER

We have been joined by something.

The House at Pooh Corner

31st DECEMBER

Now then, darling, it's time for
bed.

Now We are Six



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